

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF OCTOBER 10, 2008**

APPLICANTS:      Ralph Gritzbach et al      CONFIRMATION NO.: 8849  
SERIAL NO.:      09/988,455      GROUP ART UNIT: 3626  
FILED:      November 20, 2001      EXAMINER: Dilek B. Cobanoglu  
INVENTION:      **MEDICAL DIAGNOSIS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents,  
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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action of October 10, 2008, the following is submitted together with the accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE).